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GARDEN CLUB TO ANNOUNCE BIGGEST OAK

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 10 — Location and size of southeastern Tulare county's largest valley oak tree which will probably be the largest in the county and the nation will be made next Monday during a noon luncheon meeting of the Porterville Garden club at the Paul Bunyan. Runnerup tree will also be announced.

Location of the largest valley oak tree was taken as a project by the Porterville Garden club during National Conservation week, March 7-14. Mrs. Roscoe Sparks, chairman of the conservation week committee, says that response to the Garden club's request that large valley oaks be called to their attention has been surprising and

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Christopher in Town Tuesday

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 10 — Candidate for the Republican nomination for governor of the state of California—George Christopher—will visit Porterville next Tuesday, speaking in front of the Porter theater at 10:45 a.m. All interested persons are invited to listen to the former mayor of San Francisco outline his plans and policies if elected to the highest state office. He will be travelling by bus on a southern valley tour that will leave Bakersfield at 9 a.m.; stops will be made in Delano, Porterville, Lindsay, Exeter, Visalia and Tulare.

ANOTHER CONTENDER for the largest Valley oak tree in southeastern Tulare county — and perhaps in the world — is this beauty on the Vincent & Sons ranch in the Glennville country. Shown under the tree is Mrs. H. G. Vincent, who now lives in Porterville, but who spent nearly a half century of her life on the ranch with her late husband, and family.

Queen Contest Opens Saturday

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 10 — Special tickets will be issued and contest for queen of the 1966 Porterville rodeo will get underway Saturday, with tickets to be issued to contestants at 10 a.m. at the Rocky Hill arena. Deadline for securing entry blanks for the queen contest is tomorrow, March 11, at 6 p.m.

The contest is open to all single girls between the ages of 15 and 19 years who are attending high school or college in Tulare county. Girls desiring to enter should contact Mrs. Richard Odell, phone 784-8639, or Mrs. Ray Taylor, phone 784-1832.

Each girl entering will receive a western shirt and hat of her choice, plus 25 percent of her special ticket sales. Queen of the 19th Porterville rodeo will receive \$100 or a western suit, and trophy; queen attendants will receive trophies.

Judging in the queen contest will be based equally on sale of special tickets and horsemanship.

Dates of the Porterville rodeo are April 30 and May 1.

Mrs. Vincent says the tree has thrived on lead, since her husband and sons — and she herself — many times put a case knife in its bark, then tried to split a pistol bullet on the knife blade. She never quite did it, but the rest of the family could, and she recalls that in the 1920s a United States Marshal named Cuthbert often came to the ranch and "split bullet after bullet."

The tree measures 25 feet and four inches, five feet above the ground.

(Farm Tribune photo)

RODEO FEVER DIAGNOSED AT SPRINGVILLE AS PLANS PROGRESS FOR APRIL SHOW

SPRINGVILLE, Mar. 10 — Fever is rampant in Springville — rodeo fever, that is, as members of the five civic and farm organizations of the community put together plans for the annual Springville-Sierra rodeo that will bring the world's best professional cowboys to the mountain community April 2 and 3.

Carlos Gregg, general chairman, states that the famous string of broncs, bulls and calves that Stock Contractor Andy Jauregui will bring to Springville is as tough as any in the country, and will give RCA cowboys plenty of opposition as they work for prize dollars and world championship points.

And adding color to the performance will be Announcer Lex Connelly, a former competitor himself, but more recently devoting his time to television, motion pictures, and the staging of the National Finals rodeo.

Leading off the Springville-Sierra rodeo weekend will be a western parade, starting at 10 a.m., April 2, through the Springville business district, with Parade Chairman Jim Lambott stating that entries are coming in from throughout the southern San Joaquin valley.

Divisions have been set up for bands, baton groups, baton solo performers, floats with any theme, large and small horse groups, single riders and matched pair riders, horseless carriages, and, for Springville youngsters only, decorated bicycles.

Lambott says that entry blanks can be obtained by writing to him at P. O. Box 435, or telephoning 539-2213, Springville. "The welcome mat is out for everyone who wants to join in the parade fun", he says.

Four girls are competing for queen of the Springville-Sierra rodeo: Charlene Walker and Chris Kibler, of Springville; Jane Griswold, of Porterville, and Nancy Pomeroy, of Exeter. Horsemanship contest for queen candidates is scheduled for the Springville rodeo bowl, Sunday.

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Carroll Simmons Is Wagon Master Of Jackass Mail

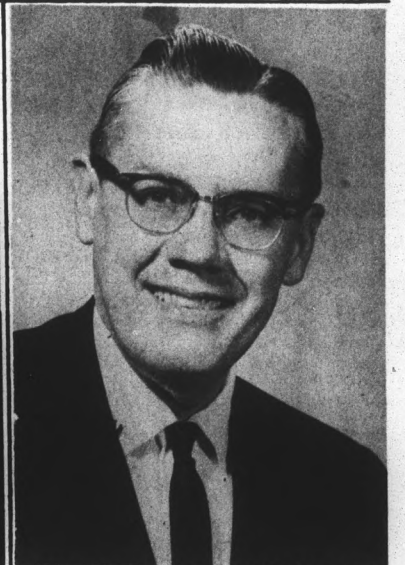


PORTERVILLE, Mar. 10 — A teamster of more than considerable renown has been named wagon master for the fifth annual running of the Jackass Mail from Porterville to Springville, March 26.

Carroll Simmons was accorded the high honor by past wagon masters, with the formal (sic) announcement made by the first wagon master, Chet Griswold, in a gathering that Col. Robert C. Natzke facetiously referred to as a meeting in the Mountain Lion saloon Tuesday evening.

Concerned civilians were enthusiastic about Simmons' appointment, since it immediately became apparent that out of the chaos cre-

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CANDIDATE FOR district attorney of Tulare county in the upcoming elections is Robert G. Bereman, who, since 1959 has served as "second-in-command" to District Attorney Jay Ballantyne, who has announced his candidacy for Superior Court judge. Bereman, who was born in Colorado, obtained a BS degree in business from the University of Colorado, and an LLD from the University of Southern California. He has taught at Cornell University and at Woodbury college; is a Navy veteran of World War II, and formerly practiced law in Los Angeles.



BASE BID for the new Monache high school at \$3,160,000, was accepted Monday evening, and school trustees, along with other school and construction personnel, look over the golden shovel that will be used in a ground-breaking ceremony expected to be held in about two weeks. Seated from left:

Fred Macomber, of Macomber Construction, Oakland, the successful bidder; Ted Cornell, president of the Porterville Union High School and College board of trustees; and Gordon Todd and Mrs. F. L. Wiens, board members. Standing: Otis O. Bryant, of Avenal, who will be the school dis-

trict's inspector on the job; John Moore and Milton Burtner, board members; Robert Eddy, of Bakersfield, architect; and C. W. Easterbrook, school district superintendent. The new high school plant will be located at Henderson and Newcomb.

(Farm Tribune photo)

Editorial Comment

LET'S STAY WITH WAY — ALL THE WAY



There are four reasons that Tulare county voters, regardless of party affiliation, should stay with State Senator Howard Way in the forthcoming general election:

1. Senator Way, in his first elected term as the representative of Tulare county in the State Senate, has "learned the ropes" and has proved that he is a thoughtful, fair, capable, and respected legislator.

2. Senator Way, having been a farmer, is well versed in the problems of agriculture. Because he was an active civic worker in his home town of Exeter for many years — as well as throughout the county — he is also well informed on general problems of schools, business, the professions, and the various aspects of local government.

3. Senator Way is from Tulare county; he is "one of us", and if mandatory reapportionment that has expanded his district to include not only Tulare county, but parts of five other counties, brings about his defeat, then all of us in Tulare county are, as county residents, without "home folk" representation in the state legislature.

4. Senator Way is a full time Senator. He no longer engages in other business; fortunately, he is in a position to be able to continue as a full time senator.

His opponent, Senator James A. Cobey, of Madera, has been a good Senator. But he must, of necessity, be a part time Senator, for he still conducts a law practice. And, Madera is a long way from Tulare county, politically speaking.

So we herewith endorse Senator Howard Way for reelection, and hope that you agree with us. After all, from most any way you look at the situation, we in Tulare county will benefit politically if we stick with Way — if we go all the way with Way.

Grape Marketing Order Material Now Available

VISALIA, Mar. 10 — Sheldon N. Jackson, county Extension Service director in Tulare county, has

announced that copies of the "Notice of Hearing" on the proposed federal marketing agreement and order, regulating the handling of grapes grown in California are now available in his office at the Farm and Home Advisors office, located in the basement of the Post Office building in Visalia.

Jackson said that the grape hearing will be held in the tenth floor auditorium, Pacific Gas and Electric building, 1401 Fulton St., Fresno, beginning on March 14, 1966 at 9:30 a.m.

California motor vehicle registration for 1965 was 9,976,000.



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"CRY, THE BELOVED COUNTRY" WILL BE PRESENTED MARCH 13 AT PORTERVILLE METHODIST CHURCH

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 10 — The Bishop's Company of Burbank will present Alan Paton's celebrated "Cry, The Beloved Country" on March 13, 8:00 p.m., at the Methodist church, 344 East Morton Avenue in Porterville.

The millions who read the novel and made it a best seller will remember the tender and tragic story of a white man and a black man locked in the grimmest of human emotions. Beyond the intense and insoluble personal tragedy is the story of the beautiful and tragic land of South Africa — or any land or any world where racial ferment and unrest break the harmony of men.

Presented with a skilled cast, "Cry, The Beloved Country" is one

of several carefully selected plays in the repertoire of The Bishop's Company, first American touring repertory company of its kind. Currently on its 14th year of national touring, the company was founded in 1952 by Phyllis Beardsley Bokar, who formulated the idea in 1939.

The Bishop's Company has achieved a record of 14 years of consecutive national touring bringing fine drama into the houses of worship in the 50 states and five provinces of Canada. It has appeared in over 7,000 churches of all denominations and has traveled over one million miles.

The Bishop's Company's presentation has become a joint adventure of the youth of the First Congregational and First Methodist churches of Porterville. Last year the company presented "St. Joan" at the First Congregational church.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship, the sponsors this year, will apply their proceeds toward bringing an international Christian youth from a foreign land to live and attend school in Porterville next year.

VETERANS MAY FILE FOR TAX EXEMPTION

VISALIA, Mar. 10 — Veterans may file for their property tax exemption starting this week, with many exemption affidavits mailed to veterans owning real property.

Veterans not receiving these affidavits will have to file at the county assessor's office in Visalia, or at one of the branch offices located at the Dinuba Justice court; Exeter Justice court; Lindsay City hall; Tulare, at 125 South "M" Street; Porterville, at 88 East Harrison street; or with Earl Roberts at 619 East Washington street in Earlimart.

The last day to file is May 2, according to Herman F. Matney, county assessor.

Turkey breeder hens on California farms as of the first of the year were estimated at 960,000, up nine per cent from a year earlier.

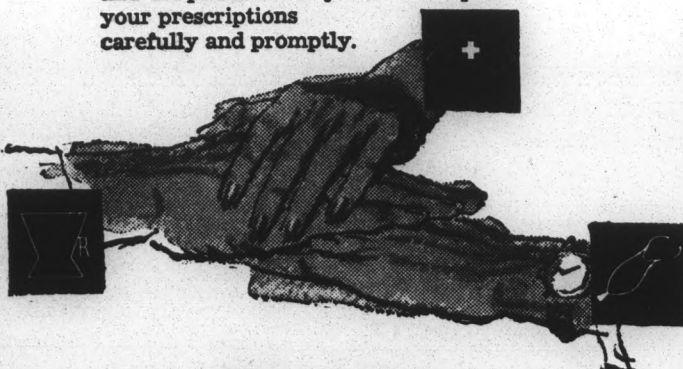
WE STICK TO OUR LASTS

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TOM MILLS, veteran of three years with the traveling units of The Bishop's Company is the General Manager of the organization as well as one of the leading actors with the resident unit based in Burbank, California.

KARL OPITZ MOVES INTO NEW EXTENSION JOB

VISALIA, Mar. 10 — Karl W. Opitz, citrus farm advisor in Tulare county for 18 years, has been appointed extension subtropical horticulturist at the University of California's Kearney Horticultural Field station near Reedley.

He will be replaced on the Tulare County Farm Advisor staff by John Pehrson, subtropical farm advisor in Orange county, and a citrus and avocado advisor since 1953.

In his new position, Opitz will work with county farm advisors and growers of subtropical fruit throughout the San Joaquin valley. The new job setups take effect April 1.

CLUB PLANS FOUNTAIN AT LAKE SUCCESS

SUCCESS VALLEY, Mar. 10 — The Success Valley 4-H club, at regular February meeting, discussed plans to erect a drinking fountain near Lake Success. This project will be for community improvement, and will be done during Easter vacation.

A project tour has been planned for Easter vacation; members viewed a movie about grass, shown by Richard Chamberlain; Kay Gill and Jo-Wayne Brown gave an interesting demonstration on sewing; Deanna Rameriz and Sandra Brown gave project reports.

Club members decided to visit St. Anne's church for 4-H Sunday, time to be announced later.

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VIET NAM SITUATION PLUS GENERAL PROGRAM ADDS TO IMPORTANCE OF RED CROSS DRIVE NOW UNDERWAY

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 10—With the U.S. military build-up in Viet Nam, the job of the Red Cross is increasing substantially, according to Mrs. Pearl Curtis, executive director of the local chapter, who is directing the 1966 fund drive, now in progress in this community.

Emergency messages to and from Viet Nam have risen to over 230 a day in the nation, and some of them are received and sent from this area by families whose young men are involved in the conflict.

To take care of this great communication service, it is vital that

the \$7,600 goal, set for this area, be reached, according to Mrs. Curtis.

Another great service provided by the Red Cross is the blood transfusion program. The blood is free, there being no charge for the blood itself. However, the blood must be carefully tested before it can be transfused. Testing costs money; people receiving the blood are asked to pay for this testing and for the

disposable transfusion sets used to transfer blood from the donor into a container and from the container into the patient's veins. Hence, the transfusion might cost as much as \$25.00 a pint, even though the blood, itself, is free.

"We feel it is necessary for the public to understand this detail in our blood program", states Mrs. Curtis.

Red Cross workers in the area

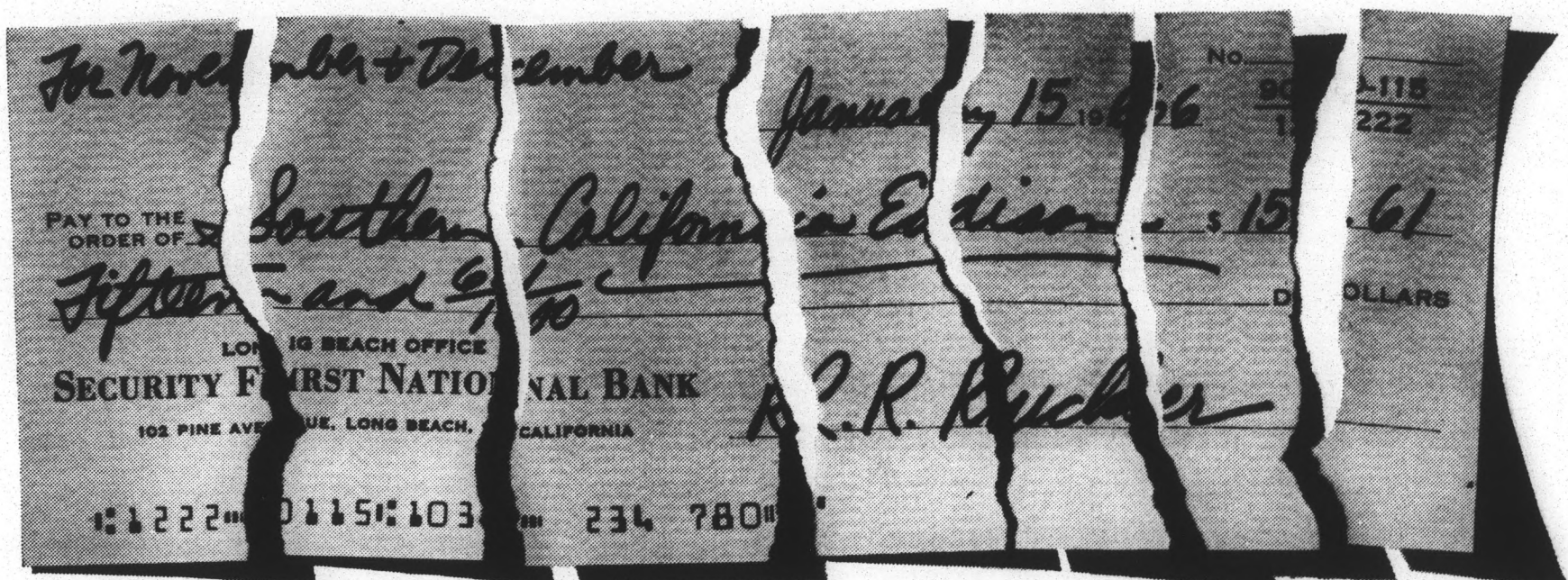
opened their drive for funds last week under the direction of Paul Krueger, chairman.

Executive directors, assisting Krueger, are: Ronald Whicker, vice chairman; Charles Chenhall, advance chairman; Charles McKenzie, Oliver Mason, Jule Corey and J. Starks, business areas.

Porterville residential captains include: Mesdames Charles Cum-

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BY BILL RODGERS

PORTERVILLE COMMUNITY had a total of \$7,057,212 in city and county building permits during 1965 to rank second in the county behind Visalia, and to nearly double third-place Tulare.

RUMBLE, RUMBLE, rumor, rumor. Two national industry placement firms have surveys going in Porterville, now.

HIGH SCHOOL trustees said go, go, go Monday night when they accepted a base bid of \$3,160,000 for the new Monache high school at Henderson and Newcomb — a bid submitted by Macomber Construction, of Oakland. With a total budget, or estimate figure, of \$3,849,508 to complete the new high school project, including playing fields and the furnishing of buildings, school trustees are looking at an overload of about \$160,000, this figure resulting from the difference between a base bid estimate of just over \$3-

000,000 compared to the actual base bid accepted. . . Trustees will attempt to pick up the \$160,000 by further consideration of 16 alternates included in the general bid, by possibly rebidding certain alternates as separate projects, by deferring certain items, and by modifying plans through change orders. It is not likely that a complete building will be left out, and it is not likely that quality of the school plant will be affected by the "shaving" of certain items. . . After a lengthy, and not too-well organized report by Architect Bob Eddy on possible economies and deferments, considerably less than \$160,000 had been potentially picked up, which might indicate a couple of things. Possibly Architects Eddy and Paynter had cut to the bare bone in original plans, or, and more likely, once an architect gets something into a plan, he may well get blind spots when economy changes are in order. . . At any rate, school trustees will act as a plan review committee and start looking for that \$160,000 themselves, consulting with faculty and administrative personnel. . . Meanwhile, contract with Macomber Construction is being drawn, ground-breaking will be coming up in about two weeks, and corner stone laying is set for November 5.

WORD TO the wise — After January 1, 1967, postal carriers will not have to deliver mail to any Porterville city address except the right address, which means that if you do not have your new number on your residence and business, and if you do not have your address changed on regular incoming mail such as magazines, wrong-addressed items just might come up missing.

LIKE A great pillar of honesty and virtue, Alan Cranston, State controller, announced a few months ago that he would accept no campaign money from the inheritance tax assessors who he appoints throughout the state. (There are

4-H CLUBS ASSIST WITH HEART DRIVE

TIPTON, Mar. 10 — Mrs. Anne De Masters, 1966 Heart Fund chairman for Tulare county, has thanked 4-H club members in the Porterville community who covered the areas of Terra Bella, Ducor, and Springville, on Heart Sunday, February 27, accepting contributions to the Heart Fund and leaving educational materials with each householder contacted. Leaders who participated in the drive with their 4-H clubs were Mrs. Florence Owen, Ducor; Delwin Moench, Terra Bella; and Mrs. Robert Kibler, Springville.

two in Tulare county and possibly from 150 to 200 throughout the state. The job is a straight political appointment by the state controller; it involves only part-time work, and appraisers make from around \$5,000 to perhaps \$50,000 a year, depending upon the size of estates they appraise. . . In the past — regardless of the party in power, appraisers kicked in liberally to the campaigns of the state controller who appointed them — kicked in willingly, we might add, since it was worth a few thousand bucks every four years to "protect their investment." Now Mr. Cranston says he is above and beyond accepting political money from his appointees, but being the old-time politician that we are, we have an idea that the boys running the Cranston campaign will find a way to tap the very lucrative source of political money from Cranston appointees. . . And with all his virtue and light, Cranston has done nothing about changing the style of the return address on state envelopes out of his office. The name Alan Cranston is printed in large type; the office of state controller in much smaller type. But after all, part of politics is keeping your name in front of the public. And what better way than letting the state put your name in big type on envelopes.



A CROWD of 350 persons enjoyed the usual high jinks and fine food at the annual Woodville chamber of commerce banquet Saturday night, with above photos showing, top, from left: Dave Chamberlain, outgoing president of the Woodville chamber and new officers: Robert Fleischer, president; Irving H. Adams, vice president; and Homer Smartt, secretary-treasurer. Center, Buck Shaffer, direc-

tor of the Porterville high school Panther band, accepts checks of \$75 for the band uniform fund from the Woodville chamber of commerce and the Woodville Civic club, presented by two of his band members, Mike Adams and Rosellen Monroe. Lower photos show banquet entertainers, Vern Highley, vocalist from Bakersfield, and Sandy Nelson, impressionistic dancer and a Tulare high school student. Master of ceremonies was Judge George Carter, of Porterville. (Farm Tribune photos)

VOLUNTEERS TRAIN YOUTHFUL HUNTERS

SACRAMENTO, Mar. 10 — California's 2,600 volunteer instructors trained 30,812 youngsters in hunter safety and the safe handling of firearms in 1965, the highest number trained in any one year since the program was started in 1954. All youngsters under the age of 18 years must complete the course before being issued their first hunting license.

DR. BRUCE POTTER HEADS FUND DRIVE

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 10 — Dr. Bruce Potter, Porterville optometrist, has accepted the community chairmanship for the annual Easter Seal sale campaign, conducted by the Easter Seal society for benefit of crippled children and adults.

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Along with golf, fishing, and sleeping this is outstanding gardening weather. It is the time when nurseries have the greatest variety of things to entice you and each year the list grows longer. In fact if they come out with many more products they'll have to make the world bigger to find room for them. We've already come out with more banks for financing so all you need is the time.

Many spring flowering shrubs are starting their bloom now which is really nature's merchandising plan for the bees but which also catches us a customer or two. The Quince start first but forsythia, almond, bridal wreath, lilac, and weigela are close behind. Most of these are in economical gallon cans which keeps the price within reason.

In case you spend all the grocery money on plants and face a hungry summer you should purchase a few tomato, pepper, and egg plants to carry you through. These can be planted in the flower garden with no problem which saves having to prepare a special area. We're open seven days a week, for buying or browsing, on "E" St. North of Olive.

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LOOKING DOWN on the world is Miss Edyth Provanova, of the "Ballet Russe De Okeefeenokee," who was an unrecognized celebrity in last December's children's Christmas parade in Porterville. Miss Provanova will appear with the Hank Higgins Zippitty Zoo puppet show that will be presented Saturday morning, 10:30 o'clock, in the Porterville Memorial auditorium by the Westfield School PTA as a fund-raising benefit for a new library at the Scicon camp above Springville. The Hank Higgins show is actually world

PLEASANT VIEW 4-H MEETING IS SHORT AND SWEET

By Peter L. Faure

PLEASANT VIEW, Mar. 10 — The February meeting of the Pleasant View 4-H club was short and sweet! Along the line of business, the club elected to donate to the stall-painting fund at the Porterville fairgrounds. Reports were given by Peter Faure on the recent project tour, and by Charlene Minoletti on the Kiwanis hosted dinner.

At the Kiwanis dinner, reports were given by Randy Overholt on his Kiwanis City-Country Youth Exchange Youth Exchange visit; Greg Dunbar on the Kiwanis Schol-

SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICE OPEN SATURDAY

VISALIA, Mar. 10 — The Social Security office in Visalia will continue being open to the public on Saturday mornings until the end of March, to afford persons age 65 or over an opportunity to sign up for the medical insurance part of Medicare, Donald Chapin, Social security district manager, states.

Porterville residents, 65 or over before 1966, will have medical insurance protection when it starts in July only if they sign up by March 31.

JONES HEADS COTTON ASSOCIATION

FRESNO, Mar. 10 — C. W. Jones, Firebaugh and Fresno rancher, has been elected president of the Southwest Five States Cotton Growers' association.

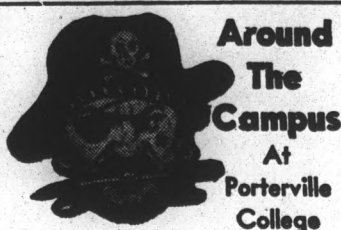
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Around The Campus At Porterville College

By Glenn M. Edwards

Apparently, that jovial arm twisting Bill Fink gave me last week had some rather dire results. I was combing my hair last Sunday and threw my right arm out of joint. It was the arm Bill had twisted, too.

To get back to business, I will now give you what you have all been waiting for with baited breath — a complete rundown of last Saturday's CJCSGA Area 5 conference.

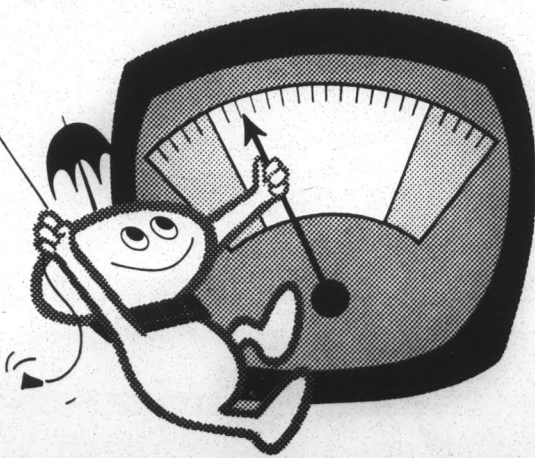
All the optimistic predictions of President Fink were fulfilled in last Saturday's conference. It was an affair to remember. This first General Assembly at 9:00 a.m. went off smoothly. College President Orlin Shires gave a short talk welcoming the delegates to the conference. It was a good speech; so good, in fact, that the assembled students even listened throughout the talk. President Shires is to be congratulated for performing this almost unbelievable feat of forensic prowess. (N.B. Maybe you know what that means, I don't.) From what I was able to gather from various delegates, the workshops were all huge successes. A spirit of cooperation and mutual assistance was apparent in all of them. I myself was in the public relations workshop. All the assembled PR men ran quite a few ideas up the flagpole and for the most part everyone saluted. By the time the workshop adjourned, everyone was well satisfied with the number and quality of the shots that had been pitched up onto the green.

At the second General Assembly,

JOHN W. LYNCH IS CANDIDATE

FRESNO, Mar. 10 — John W. Lynch, of Fresno, has announced that he will be a candidate for reelection to the State Board of Equalization from the second district, composed of 18 counties, including Tulare.

Here's "NIPPY WEATHER" with more money-saving tips from the Gas Company



Before going to bed, turn your furnace control down. And to reduce heat loss through glass at night, draw the draperies over windows and sliding glass doors.

The biggest money-saving tip of all — always heat with gas. It costs about 1/3 what other modern heating methods do. That's especially important now, when you're using 4 to 7 times as much gas as usual.



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the recommendations were read and the resolutions voted on. There were only two, but both were passed by wide margins. The first resolution concerned the selection of the Area officers. Up to Saturday, the president of the Area selected the other state officers from the school he attended. This resolution gave him power to choose an officer from any school he wished. The second resolution corrected a discrepancy in the constitution. Before, the duties of the state secretary had not been outlined in the constitution, while all the other officers had their areas and responsibility clearly marked out. The second resolution took care of this. A local boy, Dave Richardson, made good by introducing the resolution in the President's Workshop.

State Executive Vice President, Caroline Kelly, addressed this sec-

ond Assembly session. The keynote of her speech was that her work had taken her to 10 Area conferences, but, in her opinion, Area 5 was the best. She cited a genuine spirit of cooperation as the prime virtue of this Area. It was this cooperation, she said, that would make Area 5 a power to be reckoned with at the State conference in San Diego later this month. The success of the conference, she went on to say, may well rest with our Area.

El Presidente, Bill Fink, told me afterwards that he was gratified to see how well the conference had proceeded. He said that he couldn't see how it could have been much better.

And so, as the sun sinks slowly in the West, I bid adieu to you by remarking that, despite rampant rumors to the contrary, I am not Ruth Loyd in disguise.

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A Tuesday Bonus Store

County Government Essay Contest Is Announced

VISALIA, Mar. 10 — President D. P. Dickinson, of the Tulare County Employees' association, has announced that the Association's annual essay contest for county eighth grade students is now under way.

The association, with the co-operation of the county schools office, conducts this contest on "county government" each year at this time.

Cash contest prizes are: First prize award, \$50.00; second \$25.00; and third \$10.00. Schools participating will receive a certificate of participation for their eighth grade classes.

All county eighth graders are eligible to compete. The county schools office has mailed the necessary instructions to the schools in the county. Students should check with their own teacher for the specific rules and instructions.

The contest deadline is April 25.

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OUR TOWN— By RUTH LOYD

I do hope you will forgive me for the way I sound today, but you see I have a cold. We are now a five Kleenex box family.

Now you know why I prefer to have Art Thrall take my picture. From now on I won't believe my favorite editor if he swears an oath on a

stack of Jackie's Mail. Of course you realize it really wasn't a picture of me at all. That was Emma Nuckols. She's gained a little weight.

Bob Bennett was going to give me some good facts about a boy from OUR TOWN who is going to Arizona State, and is making good in a big way. At the time Bob made this promise he was teeth deep in a huge steak and I haven't heard from him since. Adeline Mead was there and she heard him promise. I wonder if she would be my witness in a breach of promise suit. I was so excited about having Bob come over to have a little chat, I even dusted the coffee table in anticipation. Just you wait until that Daddy of the 4-H asks a favor of me again.

Lois Strange broke a hundred. In golf. Lucille and Jack Raney corroborated the story, and a goood time was had by all. This was up at the Buckaroo last Sunday, and I was a little sorry the management didn't know of Lois's success. They could have brought her a scoop of ice cream with a candle in it, and we could have all sung, "Happy break a hundred Day" to her. I could break a hundred in golf too, but I would have to cheat, and my little golfing friends take a dim view of cheating. In fact they get a little nasty about it.

Mary and Ginny are making money hand over fist now, and what do you suppose their silly



HOSSCAR WINNER, Elizabeth Dobson, of Exeter, is shown above in a scene from "Light Up The Sky," a Moss Hart comedy about the theater that opens Friday for a three-week-end run at the Barn. Featured

also are: Bill White, Beverly Gorne, Edith Evans and Michael Purcell; Dick Newman is the director. Curtain time is 8:15 P.M.; reservations can be made by phoning 784-2424.

(Edwards Studio photo)

husbands want them to do? Just like a couple of husbands. Let their smart wives show what a couple of witts can do, and they come up with the idea that it wasn't such a good idea after all. How crazy. They wait until the red ink disappears and then decide it would be nice to have the little women at home. Sooo the girls are going home to be queens of their

castles and their lords and masters will have the pleasure of their company at home, but they certainly showed what could be done by a couple of smart cookies. Anyone want a thriving Knit Shop? All you have to do is have a smart know-how, be an expert knitter, and have some cash on hand. Nothing to it.

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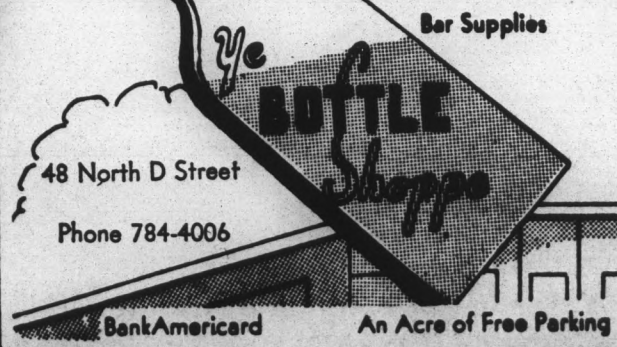
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Subject to issuance of the license applied for, notice is hereby given that the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at the premises, described as follows:
W/S Hwy. 190 — 23 Mi. E. of Springville

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control for issuance by transfer of an alcoholic beverage license for these premises as follows:

On Sale General Seasonal
Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license may file a verified protest with any office of the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control within 30 days of the posting of this notice, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are not now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages. The form of verification may be obtained from any office of the Department.
WILLIAM E. WEAVER
mr10

NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the Tulare County Board of Supervisors on March 22, 1966, at 10:15 A.M., in the Supervisors' Chambers, Courthouse, Mineral King and Mooney Boulevard, Visalia, California.

The hearing will pertain to the adoption of a map amending subdivisions C-2 and C-3 of Part 145 of the Official Land Use Plan of the County of Tulare, being Section 27, Township 21 South, Range 27 East, M.D.B.&M., and a map amending subdivisions A-2 and A-3 of Part 21 of the Official Land Use Plan of the County of Tulare, being Section 26, Township 21 South, Range 27 East, M.D.B.&M., zoning the area as stated above to R-A, Rural Residential, and R-1, One Family Residential.

All persons interested may appear and be heard at said time and place. By order of the Board of Supervisors.
JAMES E. HOWARD, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Tulare County
By CAROL I. SANTOS, Deputy
mr10

LEGAL NOTICE

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

SO 66-243

A. J. McGreevy, et al
Plaintiffs
vs.
The Southwest Foundation, et al
Defendants

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Tulare, State of California, on the 31st day of January, A.D., 1966, in the above entitled action, wherein A. J. McGreevy, et al, et al. The above named plaintiffs, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against The Southwest Foundation, et al. Defendants, on the 28th day of October, A.D., 1964. For the sum of \$225,000.00 Lawful money of the United States, which said decree was, on the 28th day of October, A.D., 1964, recorded in decree book 105 of said Court at page 134 et seq., I am commanded to sell all that certain property situate, lying and being in the said County of Tulare, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

A. An Oil and Gas Lease covering Lots 15, 18, 23, 26, 27, 28, North half of Lot 29, Lots 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 38, 39 and 40 of Miami Colony, dated June 3, 1953, executed by Miami Land Company, as Lessors, and by C. L. Reese, as Lessee, for a term of 20 years from and after date hereof or so long thereafter as oil or gas or other hydrocarbon substances are produced in paying quantities from the leased land, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded August 7, 1953 in Book 1691, Page 658 of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

B. An Oil and Gas Lease dated October 26, 1953, executed by Edward L. Merzolan and Myrtle K. Merzolan, husband and wife, also known as Merzolan, as Lessors, and by Arthur E. Peterson, Lessee, covering Parcel No. 1, described as follows:

PARCEL 1: Those portions of lots 131 and 132 of Campo Verde Colony, in the County of Tulare, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 7, Page 43 of Maps in the office of the County Recorder of Tulare County, described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of said Lot 131; thence East along the North line of said Lot 131 and said Lot 132, 400 feet; thence Southwesterly and parallel to the Westerly line of said Lot 131, 450 feet; thence West and parallel to the north line of said Lots 131 and 132, 400 feet, to a point on the Westerly line of said Lot 131; thence Northwesterly 450 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL 2: Lot 127 of Campo Verde Colony, continuing for a term of 20 years from and after the date hereof and so long thereafter, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded December 7, 1953 in Book 1712, Page 33 of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

C. An Oil and Gas Lease dated November 9, 1953, covering Lot 12 of the Halbert Tract and Lots 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 139, 140, 144, 145 and 146 of Campo Verde Colony, executed by Terra Bella Irrigation District, as Lessor, and by Arthur F. Peterson, as Lessee, for a term of one-fourth year from the date hereof and for so long thereafter as Lessee conducts drilling, deepening, repairing, redrilling, or producing operations on the leased land for oil, gas and/or associated substances, or is excused therefrom as hereinafter provided, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded February 21, 1955, in Book 1813, Page 366 of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

D. An Oil and Gas Lease, dated May 1, 1955, affecting the South half of Lot 29 of Miami Colony, executed by Ray G. Veazey, a married man, as his separate property, as Lessor and by Arthur F. Peterson, as Lessee, for a term of 20 years from date and so long thereafter as oil or gas is produced in paying quantities from said leased land upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein contained, recorded May 30, 1955 in Book 1833, Page 578 of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

E. An Oil and Gas Lease affecting the Northwest quarter of Section 27, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, except that portion conveyed to the Southern Pacific Railroad and the County of Tulare for Right of Way on the East side, dated March 17, 1955, executed by Walter Holzworth and Erna Holzworth, husband and wife, as Joint Tenants, and Neva P. Hastings, a widow woman, as Lessors, and by Arthur F. Peterson, as Lessee, for a term of 3 months from and after the date hereof and so long thereafter as oil or gas or other hydrocarbon substances are produced in paying quantities from the leased land, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded July 1, 1955 in Book 1844, Page 683 of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

By an instrument dated July 1, 1955, executed by Walter Holzworth et al, the term of said Lease was extended, recorded July 1, 1955 in Book 1844, Page 690 of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

F. An Oil and Gas Lease covering the North half of Lot 36 and the South half of Lot 37 of Miami Colony, and Lots 128 and 129 of Campo Verde Colony, dated May 29, 1953, executed by H. E. Campbell and Annabelle Campbell, husband and wife, and Elmer L. Cartwright, a single man, and Roy Rhoads and Betty I. Rhoads, husband and wife, as Lessors, to C. L. Reese, Lessee, for a term of 20 years from and after date hereof or so long thereafter as oil or gas or other hydrocarbon substances are produced in paying quantities from the leased land, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded July 18, 1953 in Book 1687, Page 653 of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

G. An Oil and Gas Lease dated June 29, 1953, covering an undivided one-half interest in Lots 128 and 129 of Campo Verde Colony, and an undivided

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ed one-half interest in the North half of Lot 36 and the South half of Lot 37 of Miami Colony, executed by Kathleen Smith, Everett Russell Smith and Gordon Knight Smith, as Lessors, and by C. L. Reese, as Lessee, for a term of 20 years from date and so long thereafter as oil or gas or hydrocarbon substances are produced in paying quantities from said land, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded July 18, 1953 in Book 1687, Page 663, of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

H. An Oil and Gas Lease dated June 3, 1953, covering Lots 11 and 12 of Miami Colony and Lot 127 of Campo Verde Colony, executed by National Development Co. of Porterville, as Lessor, and by C. L. Reese, as Lessee, for a term of 20 years from date and so long thereafter as oil or gas or hydrocarbon substances are produced in paying quantities from said land, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded July 18, 1953 in Book 1687, Page 673, of Official Records, Tulare County, California.

I. An Oil and Gas Lease dated February 26, 1957, covering the North half of Lot 37 of Miami Colony, executed by H. E. Campbell and Annabelle Campbell, Elmer L. Cartwright, H. L. Smith and Jeri E. Smith, Lorraine V. Cartwright and Betty I. Rhoads, as Lessors, and by Arthur F. Peterson, as Lessee, for a term of 20 years from the date hereof and for as long thereafter as Lessee conducts continuous drilling, deepening, repairing, redrilling, or producing operations on the leased land for oil, gas and/or associated substances, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded March 18, 1957, File No. 9140.

J. An Oil and Gas Lease dated February 26, 1957, covering the South half of Lot 36 of Miami Colony, executed by H. E. Campbell and Annabelle Campbell, Elmer L. Cartwright, Lorraine V. Cartwright and Betty I. Rhoads, as Lessors, and by Arthur F. Peterson, as Lessee, for a term of 20 years from the date hereof and for as long thereafter as Lessee conducts continuous drilling, deepening, repairing, redrilling, or producing operations on the leased land for oil, gas and/or associated substances, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded March 18, 1957, File No. 9139.

K. An Oil and Gas Lease dated February 26, 1957, covering the South half of Lot 36 of Miami Colony, executed by Lucile E. Palmer, as Lessor, and by Arthur F. Peterson, as Lessee, for a term of 20 years from the date hereof and for as long thereafter as Lessee conducts continuous drilling, deepening, repairing, redrilling, or producing operations on the leased land for oil, gas and/or associated substances, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded March 18, 1957, File No. 9141.

L. An Oil and Gas Lease dated March 11, 1957, covering Lots 18, 23, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 38, 39 and the North half of Lot 29 of Miami Colony, executed by Leon M. Hallahan and Ruby D. Hallahan, his wife, and Harry M. Hallahan and Lilly E. Hallahan, his wife, Lessors, and Arthur F. Peterson, Lessee, for a term of 20 years from the date hereof and for so long thereafter as Lessee conducts continuous drilling, deepening, repairing, redrilling, or producing operations on the leased land for oil, gas and/or associated substances, upon the terms, conditions and covenants therein provided, recorded March 25, 1957, in Book 1985 Page 274, Official Records, Tulare County, California.

Public Notice is hereby given, that on Wednesday, the 23rd day of March, A.D., 1966, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. of said day, at the Front Door of the County Jail, Visalia, California, in said County of Tulare, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and accruing costs, to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Dated, Visalia, California, this 21st day of February, A.D., 1966.
SANDY ROBINSON
Sheriff of said County of Tulare.
By R. G. CLARK
Deputy Sheriff.
mr3,10,17

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the State of California
For the County of Tulare

No. 18450

Estate of
THEODORE M. SLUSSER, also known as Theodore Slusser and T. M. Slusser, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 8, 1966.
CHESTER M. SLUSSER
Executor of the Will of the above named decedent
Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law
141 East Mill Avenue
Porterville, California, 93257
Telephone: (209) 784-5064
Attorneys for Executor
First publication: February 17, 1966.
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Classified Ads Bring Results

LEGAL NOTICE

SECTION A

Advertisement for Bid
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare will receive bids for a Shop Building Addition, located on County owned property at County Road Maintenance Yard No. 1, Porterville, California, in strict accordance with plans and specifications on file with the Building Department, Room 108, Courthouse, County Civic Center, Visalia, California. Copies of plans and specifications may be examined at or obtained from the Tulare County Building Department.

Bids shall be submitted on forms provided by the County Building Department and will be included in the booklet entitled, "Shop Building Addition, Road Maintenance Yard No. 1, Porterville, California."

Bids and accompanying documents shall be sealed in an envelope marked, "Bid, Shop Building Addition, Road Maintenance Yard No. 1, Porterville, California" and placed in the possession of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, Room 301, Courthouse, County Civic Center, Visalia, California, not later than 10:00 A.M. on March 22, 1966, at which time the bids received will be opened and read publicly by the Board of Supervisors at the Chambers of said Board of Supervisors in the Courthouse.

The successful Bidder shall furnish a Labor and Materials Bond in an amount not less than fifty per cent (50%) of the amount payable under the Contract, and a Faithful Performance Bond for not less than one hundred per cent (100%) of said amount. The successful Bidder shall furnish satisfactory proof of the maintenance of Public Liability Insurance in an amount not less than \$100,000 for one person injured in any one accident and not less than \$300,000 for more than one person injured in one accident and the maintenance of Property Damage Insurance in an amount not less than \$25,000.

Pursuant to Sections 1770-1780 of the Labor Code of the State of California, the Board of Supervisors has ascertained the general prevailing rates of per diem wages in the locality for each craft or type of workman needed to execute the Contract and not less than which rates the Contractor to whom the Contract is awarded and any subcontractor under him shall pay to all workmen employed in the execution of the Contract. Said wage rates are as follows:

PREVAILING WAGE SCALES

Classification	Hourly Rate	Hourly H. & P. Rate	Hourly W. & P. Rate
1. Construction Trades			
Carpenter	\$4.65	23	25
Power Saw Operator	4.80	23	25

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Cement Mason	4.665	16	20	30
Electrician	5.32	15	1%	—
Ironworker				
Reinforcing	5.08	23	15	15
Ironworker				
Structural	5.30	23	15	15
Laborer				
Jackhammer	4.025	15	10	15
Laborer				
Concrete	3.875	15	10	15
Laborer				
Construction	3.775	15	10	15
Laborer				
Clean-up	3.775	15	10	15
Plumbers and Steamfitters	5.75	20	13	—
Sheet Metal Worker	4.85	15	13	—

2. Operating Engineers				
Compressors - 2 to 6, concrete mixers over 1 yard	4.855	19.5	20	15
Tractors, dozers, scrapers	5.14	19.5	20	15
Loader up to 2 yards	5.19	19.5	20	15
Excavating equipment up to 1 yard, cranes not over 25 tons	5.41	19.5	20	15
3. Teamsters Single Unit Dump Trucks				
Under 4 yards	3.905	17.5	15	20
4 yds. and under 6 yds.	3.98	17.5	15	20
6 yds. and under 8 yds.	4.19	17.5	15	20
8 yds. and over	4.44	17.5	15	20

Transit Mix Trucks				
Under 6 yds.	4.055	17.5	15	20
6 yds. and under 8 yds.	4.155	17.5	15	20
Pickup trucks	3.905	17.5	15	20

No bid may be withdrawn sooner than thirty (30) days after the date set for opening tenders. The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and/or waive any informality in any bid, and/or determine in its discretion the responsibility of any Bidder, and which Bid is most economical to the County.

Dated: February 24, 1966.
By Order of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, State of California.

JAMES E. HOWARD, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare

(SEAL) By CAROL I. SANTOS
Deputy
m3,10

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By Ace Reid

RODEO FEVER DIAGNOSED

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March 20, according to Mrs. Carol Sorensen, queen contest chairman. Announcement of the queen, and her two princesses, is set for the evening of March 26 during a Coronation ball in the Springville Veterans' Memorial building.

The world championship, RCA-approved Springville-Sierra rodeo will get underway at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, April 2 and 3. A western cowboy dance will keep the town jumping the night of April 2.

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Community work crews are on the job over the weekends getting the rodeo grounds in shape, putting the arena surface in condition, grading up parking areas, and preparing concession stands.

Staging the Springville-Sierra rodeo is the Springville Rodeo association, composed of representatives from the Springville Grange, Veterans of Foreign Wars post, the chamber of commerce, the Lions club, and the Farm Bureau center.

Wagon Master

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ated by the disorderly disorganization of the Col. Natzke clique will now come simple confusion.

As his first official statement Simmons said, "The slogan for this fifth annual running of the Jackass Mail is obvious and to the point. 'I'll take the fifth.'"

And in a concluding statement the new wagon master said, "In keeping with the great tradition of the Jackass Mail, I say without fear of contradiction that once again no turn will be left unstoned."

Quickly assuming command, Simmons announced that the Mail will leave the Porterville city hall at about 8 p.m., Saturday, March 26, with destination Springville. Four wagons and one cannon now seem certain to make the trip; four teams of horses and one team of mules have been requisitioned.

Simmons says that all saddle bums and others are invited to get aboard their four-footed friends and join the Jackass Mail. He emphasized that anyone participating in the mail run does so at their own risk and suggested that minors be accompanied by parents.

Frontiersmen and city slickers are invited to participate in a gigantic noon barbecue on the Tule river just below the 190 trail crossing, where a bountiful repast will be prepared by the Tulare County Belles. When the mail arrives in Springville all participants and others who might rather drive to the foothill community, are invited to partake of a fish fry, in charge of Ray Corzine, at the historic Springville Soda Spring.

Simmons said that he will, in due course, name certain frontiersmen as scouts to assist him with the handling of the mail.

"The military, as represented by Col. Natzke, must have some place in the running of the mail", Simmons said. "I shall do my best

BIGGEST OAK

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gratifying.

"There are several large oaks within the city of Porterville that few people realized were as large as they are," Mrs. Sparks says, "and location of many large trees has been phoned in to us from the valley and foothill areas surrounding Porterville."

Mrs. Sparks has checked measurements — point of measurement being five feet above ground, to determine the oak with the greatest circumference.

She also says that Garden club members express their thanks to those persons in the community who joined in the search for the biggest oak.

When the tree is determined, it will be photographed, the picture mounted on a cross section of an oak tree trunk, then presented to the new Porterville museum.

COWBELLES TELL OF PLANS TO SERVE BARBECUE LUNCH ON JACKASS MAIL RUN

PORTERVILLE, Mar. 10 — Tulare County Cowbelles held their Annual Joint meeting, recently, with the Kern County Cowbelles at the Mordikian restaurant in Wasco, with Tulare County President Velma Gill and Kern County President Mona Carver, and their officers honored at the head table. Clara Rutherford, Tulare county past president was honored with a birthday cake.

Mrs. Gill introduced Mrs. Rutherford, Red Barn committee chairman, and Pauline Mason, who re-

to find it."

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GORDON OWEN, actor, philosopher, news commentator and psychologist, who will speak on "How To Achieve A Tranquil Mind," at next Monday's meeting of the Porterville Executives' club at the Porterville Women's clubhouse. Serving is set for 7 P.M. sharp; reservations for members and guests should be made with Marie Brey, club secretary, no later than tomorrow, Friday.

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